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Sideboards and Tables at all prices.

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"Coupled with all my old army troubles, I lost my appetite, had a distressing and burning sensation in my stomach, extreme nervousness, so bad that the least excitement would cause large drops of sweat to stand on my body for an hour at a time. Anything at a sudden, would cause me to start and jump. Could not rest nights. Lost flesh rapidly and became much emaciated. In addition to all this, a severe Rheumatic trouble from which I have suffered severely ever since my discharge, causing my limbs and joints to swell badly set in. I was obliged to give my work, and became quite much discouraged. Got SKODA'S DISCOVERY. It was a wonderful effect upon me. I began to feel better after using it only a short time. I have now taken four bottles of Mr. Skoda's Discovery and all disease has left my system. Appetite has returned. Have gained much in flesh and strength. Nervousness and weakness all gone. I am able to do a good day's work, and do it well. And I feel as well as I ever did in my life. I feel that I am entirely cured from all these troubles."

Yours truly, EMERY O. PENDLETON.

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[FOR LATEST DISPATCHES SEE THIRD PAGE.]

ANNUAL SESSION

Of the Grand Lodge of Masons of Maine.

PORTLAND, May 3. The Masonic Grand Lodge of Masons for Maine met in annual session in Portland, at 9 o'clock, this morning, Grand Master Henry R. Taylor, of Machias, presiding. The committee on credentials repotred 136 out of 191 lodges represented, and other delegates would doubtless arrive by noon trains.

Eleven of the twelve Past Grand Masters were present. The Grand Master in his annual address paid a tribute to the dead of Maine and other jurisdictions during the year. He reported prosperity and harmony in the jurisdiction. No new lodges had been formed, but an increase of membership had added to the strength of existing lodges. The report of the committee on returns showed 191 lodges, 21,177 members, and 878 initiates. The gain in member ship is one per cent. during the year.

Financial reports showed a most satisfactory condition of the treasury, the income of the charity fund being widely and beneficently distributed.

PENSIONS GRANTED.

Additional to Residents of Maine.

WASHINGTON, May 3. The following pensions have been granted to residents of Maine:

Original—George W. Clough, George A. Moosly, George M. Emery, James P. Fistchell.

BOARD OF REGISTRATION.

James N. Read Appointed Chairman of Deering.

AUGUSTA, May, 3. Governor Burleigh has appointed James N. Read, Chairman of the Board of Registration of the city of Deering.

RUN OVER BY A TRAIN.

A Farmer Instantly Killed While Attempting to Cross the Track.

LEWISTON, May 3. Nathaniel Small, of West Bowdoin, aged 50, was run over and killed by the Farmington train near Crowley's, at eleven o'clock. He was a farmer coming to Lewiston. The engineer says he apparently stopped for the train and then started up quickly, directly in front of the engine.

MURDERER ALMY

To Have A Hearing on Motion for a New Trial.

CONCORD, N. H., May 3. Warden Colebath delivered murderer Frank C. Almy to High Sheriff Brigham, of Grafton county, soon after 10 o'clock this morning under the following precept:

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Grafton, S. S.

Eastern Judicial district, November Term, 1891.

State vs. Frank C. Almy.

To the Sheriff of Amy county or his deputy:

We command you have the body of the defendant in the Court House, at Plymouth, in said county on the 3d day of May, 1892, and the warden of the State prison commanded to allow this writ to be executed, witness,

CHARLES DOE, ESQUIRE.

25th day April, 1892.

Soon After Ten O'clock

Almy was taken from his cell and dressed neatly in the same suit he wore when brought to the prison. Soon after 10.30 the prison officers turned him over to Sheriff Brigham and Deputy Sheriffs McCoy and Hawkins. In fifteen minutes the prisoner and sheriffs left the penitentiary and were driven to East Concord station, where the express train was taken for Plymouth. The cars were taken at East Concord instead of the city proper, as a precautionary measure. Almy looked pale, but appeared well otherwise, as but few persons knew he was going to East Concord. Only a small number witnessed his departure.

Arrive at Plymouth.

PLYMOUTH, N. H., May 3. Almy arrived at 12.25 P. M. in charge of Sheriff Brigham, and went at once on foot to the court house, where he will be given a hearing. A large crowd was present at the depot to get a look at the murderer. Owing to the non-arrival of expert witnesses on insanity, the Almy hearing has been postponed.

LABOR TROUBLES.

Iron Workers on World's Fair Buildings Strike.

CHICAGO, May 3. Work on the manufacturers building at the World's Fair ground, was brought almost to a standstill yesterday, by 100 out of the 125 iron workers going on a strike for thirty-five instead of thirty cents an hour. A similar demand by the iron workers on the administration building has been granted.

Brick Layers Quit Work.

SAGINAW, Mich., May 3 The Brick Layers Union ordered a strike yesterday morning. All the members quit work and building operations are at a standstill in this city. The men have been receiving $3 a day and they demand an advance of one dollar.

Dock Hands Strike.

CLEVELAND, O., May 3. Eight hundred members of the Coal Handlers Union struck for higher wages on the docks yesterday.

STRUCK BY LIGHTNING.

One Person Killed and Four Injured.

LINCOLN, Ill., May 3. A exander Melton was instantly killed by lightning yesterday morning. His wife was fatally hurt and Mr. and Mrs. Perkins, who were in Melton's house, were paralyzed. The house is wrecked.

FATALLY BURNED

By the Explosion of a Gasoline Stove.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., May 3. Late last night, as Mrs. Samuel M. Baner, was filling a gasoline stove, when the fluid exploded, fatally burning Mrs. Baner and her sixteen months-old son.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Ravachol Makes Fun of the Jury.

PARIS, May 3. Ravachol, who has recovered from his recent fit of dejection, now laughs at the way in which he scared the jury. He expects a verdict of extenuating circumstances in the Montbrison trial, relying upon the effect of similar coercive notes against the jury there.

Catholic Schools Decided Condemned by the Pope.

LONDON, May 3. A Rome correspondent of the Chronicle says the Pope has confirmed the decision of the propaganda in favor of the plan advocated by Archbishop Ireland of allowing American Catholic schools to be taught by State teachers, religious instruction being given after school hours. The subject is to be left to the Catholics of the district at the expense of separate schools.

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Bismarck Ill.

[illegible] May 3. After Dessing was convalescent last night, from the gout from which he has suffered in the abdominal cavity and [illegible] years, also [illegible] medicine [illegible] a remarkable [illegible] Bismarck [illegible] Tonic [illegible] Druggists, $1 a bottle.

THE PEOPLE'S PARTY.

State Convention Held at Gardiner Monday.

Some Delegates Walk Twenty Miles to Attend.

GARDINER, May 3. A State Convention of the People's Party of Maine assembled in this city, to-day, at ten o'clock. Nearly a hundred delegates were present, including many prominent labor men. It was practically a meeting for organization. There is no fund to assist delegates to attend the convention and they are here on their own expense. Some walked from ten to twenty miles in order to be present.

Delegates were present from Androscoggin, Cumberland, Hancock, Kennebec, Knox, Penobscot, Sagadahoc, Waldo and York counties. A preliminary meeting was held at the Evans House, last evening, where the work of the convention was discussed and mapped out.

At the time for opening, to-day, the convention was called to order by Dr. L. F. Webster, of Webster. The call for the convention was read by the Secretary. A. A. Beaton, of Rockland, was elected temporary chairman and took the chair amid enthusiastic applause. He spoke briefly of the honor felt in a call to the chairmanship and proceeded immediately to call up the

Order of Business.

D. G. Richards, of Rockport, was elected Secretary, and M. W. Lermond, of Warren, Assistant Secretary.

The following were appointed by the chair a committee to draw up the State platform: Androscoggin, Webster, of Webster; Cumberland, Jewett, of Portland; Hancock, Betts, of Ellsworth; Kennebec, Gilette, of Gardiner; Knox, Richard, of Rockport; Penobscot, Chapman, of Plymouth; Sagadahoc, Costello, of Richmond; Waldo, Bateman, of Southport; York, Walker, of Biddeford.

While the committee was in session, E. Benny Brown, of Boston, a member of the National Committee of the People's party, spoke at length on the principles and prospects of the party. He said we represent one of the broadest issues today. It is to Maine and Massachusetts that the People's party looks as the States of nativity. Twelve years ago the Greenback party of Maine was teaching the theory in relation to money which, six years later, the Supreme Court of the United States

Declared Right

and which is now the principle dominating the People's party. It believes in equitable, not equal, distribution of what we produce, and this will come when the bankers are kicked out of the halls of Congress. Send men from your own ranks. The crisis is as important as the one of 1860. The People's party does not stand on tariff; it rests on it. We are against the further extension of the money power. The man who is nominated at the National Convention of the People's party, at Omaha, July 4, is the next President, of the United States.

James G. Blaine is a sufficient statesman to see the storm coming and to keep out of the Presidential race. The man elected at Omaha will be a second Abraham Lincoln, a man of the hour.

The committee on the platform then reported as follows. The People's party of Maine, in Convention assembled, hereby declare the following articles of faith:

The Platform.

We heartily endorse the platform adopted by the industrial conference at St. Louis, February, 22d, 1892.

We demand a safe, sound and flexible currency, which shall be full of legal tender for all debts, public and private, to be controlled exclusively by the National Government, without the intervention of private corporations, and issued to the extent of $50 per capita.

As a step in the right direction, we demand free and unlimited coinage of silver.

We demand that all revenues shall be limited to necessary expenses of the Government.

We demand a graduated income tax.

We demand that labor shall receive the same protection that is accorded to capital in its various forms in this country, and to this end we demand that Congress shall enact a law that any person, firm or corporation, who employs the labor of foreigners, not naturalized, shall pay into the United States Treasury one dollar per day for every day such foreign laborer is thus employed, or such sum as shall be equal to the highest average. If protection is given to capital employed in the various industries of this country, we demand that all land now held by capitalists and corporations for speculative purposes shall be reclaimed by the Government and held for actual settlers only.

We demand that all trusts and combinations of capital for the purpose of controlling the prices of articles of necessity should be placed under the ban of the law and made a penal offence.

We demand that the government shall at once take charge of railroad, telegraph and telephone systems and manage the same in the interest of the people.

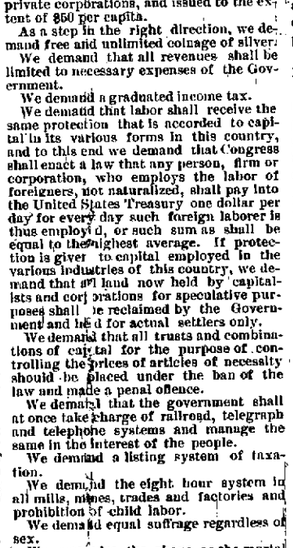
We demand a listing system of taxation.

We demand the eight hour system in all mills, mines, trades and factories and prohibition of child labor.

We demand equal suffrage regardless of sex.

We recognize the above as the mortal enemy of all the above named reforms, and therefore demand the strict enforcement of our statute laws and the enactment of such national laws as may be necessary for its complete and universal overthrow. The Convention thereon adjourned to 2 P. M.

The meeting was called to order at 2 P. M., and proceeded at once to the nominations, the business of the districts having been completed during the recess. The following nominations were made by acclamation: For Governor, L. C. Bateman, of Searsmont; for electors at large, J. R. Clark, Bangor, W. H. Harris, Auburn; for delegates at large to the National Convention at Omaha, J. B. Swan, of Camden; G. W. Sole, of Livermore; Wm. Hobbs, of Milo; G. L. Walker, of Biddeford; J. Eli Campion, of Portland; Wm. F. Harris, of Auburn; Henry Betts, of Ellsworth.



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It has been the house. What? Why, that wonderful medicine

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It positively cures nervous diseases, paralysis, rheumatism, neuralgia, female weakness, tetter, eczema, all diseases of the blood, liver and kidneys, dyspepsia, dizziness, and all stomach troubles. It is the

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for a vigorous appetite, pure blood, and strong nerves. Take Vinegar Bitters. It is sold by all druggists, $1 a bottle.

WESTERN CYCLONE.

Houses Overturned and Carried a Long Distance.

A Number of Persons Killed and Several Injured.

CHICAGO, May 3. A special from King Fisher, O. T., says a cyclone touched the outskirts of the town last evening, causing great damage to growing crops, overturning houses in its path and killing considerable young stock. Fourteen residences outside of the city were destroyed and F. A. Bidwell, of York, Neb., and his son were killed. Simon Bates, a farmer, while riding, was overturned by the cyclone, and the horse was lifted from the earth and carried a hundred feet. Bates' left leg was fractured and he received internal injuries. Geo. Ricker and his family of ten, entered a dug out and the house was torn to atoms. All escaped with bruises.

FIRE RECORD.

Cotton Shed Burned.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., May 3. The cotton shed of the Arnold Print Works was burned early this morning. Four hundred bales of cotton was damaged. Loss between $5,000 and $10,000; insured. Cause, spontaneous combustion.

STRUCK BY A TRAIN.

A Well Known Car Builder Instantly Killed While Attempting to Cross a Railroad Track.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., May 3. Theodore E. Woodruff, formerly President of the Central Transportation Company and a pioneer in the building of sleeping cars, was struck by a train while attempting to cross the tracks of the West Jersey Railroad Company, at Gloucester, N. J., yesterday, and instantly killed. He was eighty-one years of age.

THE TREFETHAN-SMITH TRIAL.

Counsel Making the Closing Arguments.

BOSTON, May 3. The testimony for the defence in the Trefethen-Smith murder trial at East Cambridge, closed this forenoon and Ex-Governor Long begun his closing argument for the defendants. He made a vigorous pronouncement of the suicide theory and emphatically denied that the slightest trace of evidence had been offered to show that any murder had been committed.

LAWRENCE BOODLE CASE

Hearing Before the Grand Jury at Newburyport.

LAWRENCE, Mass., May 2. The Grand Jury of Essex county, to-day began at Newburyport, the hearing in the alleged Lawrence boodle case. Officer Batchelder has gone to that city with five liquor license applicants, who are expected to submit interesting testimony.

PLANTERS ALARMED.

Arkansas Negroes Leaving the State.

GORDON, Ark., May 3. Ever since the burning of the Negro Coy, at Texarkana, negroes have been leaving the State, and nearly all threaten to leave and go to Africa. The planters are greatly alarmed over the condition of their farms resulting from this exodus, for they are fearful there will be no one to cultivate their fields.

FOREST FIRE.

Great Damages Done in New Jersey.

MAYS LANDING, N. J., May 3. A forest fire is raging at Estellville four miles from this place, and is causing great destruction.

Springfield Items.

Our correspondent writes: Mr. Lakin, agent for Wheeler & Sheldron, of Rutland, Vermont, was in town Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Thompson, of Prentiss, celebrated the twenty-fifth anniversary of their marriage, Friday afternoon, April 29th, at their home. A large number of their neighbors, and friends from Springfield, Carroll, Kingman and other towns, assembled to congratulate them upon their success so far through life. There were many beautiful and costly gifts. There was a social dance in the evening for the young people.

Mr. Moses Stephens is painting his house, on North street.

Rev. W. D. Wood, of Boston, who has been supplying the pulpit of the Congregational Church, the past fall and winter, preaches his farewell sermon next Sabbath, May 8, he having been called to other fields of labor.

A short time since Mr. Orelas Stephens lost a very valuable cow.

BUSINESS ITEMS.

IT IS NOT WHAT WE SAY But what Hood's Sarsaparilla does, that makes it sell, and has given it such a firm and lasting hold upon the confidence of the people. The voluntary statements of thousands of people prove beyond question that this preparation possesses wonderful medicinal power.

Hood's Pills cure Constipation by restoring the peristaltic action of the alimentary canal. They are the best family cathartic. B

It strikes us as remarkable to hear of the wonderful record for curing, enjoyed by Betton's Infallible Pile Salve; it cures every form of this troublesome ailment. If not to be had of your druggist send 50 cents to the Winkelmann & Brown Drug Co., Baltimore, Md.

CHILDREN CRY FOR PITCHER'S CASTORIA

Did it ever occur to you to take Hood's Sarsaparilla, the best spring medicine? Try a bottle this season. It will do you good. 9

Coughs, colds, and Consumption in its early stages are immediately relieved and quickly cured by Adamson's Botanic Cough Balsam, an absolutely safe remedy for all throat and lung affections. 10c. and 35c.

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CHILDREN CRY FOR PITCHER'S CASTORIA.

A cold of unusual severity developed into a difficulty decidedly catarrhal in all its characteristics, threatening a return of my old chronic malady, catarrh. One bottle of Ely's Cream Balm completely eradicated every symptom of that painful and prevailing disorder.—E. W. Warner, Rochester, N.Y.

When I began using Ely's Cream Balm my catarrh was so bad I had headache the whole time and discharged a large amount of filthy matter. That has almost entirely disappeared and I have not had headache since.—J. H. Summers, Stephney, Conn. MWF&w may2

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria.
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria.
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria.
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

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As a specific for rheumatism, neuralgia, salt rheum, etc., Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a strictly scientific, reliable and powerful medicine. It is not a nostrum made to sell, but is the best medicine that money can procure. MWFlw may 1

CHILDREN CRY FOR PITCHER'S CASTORIA

MAINE MELANGE.

Record of Some of the Recent Happenings.

Matters of Interest to the Whig Readers.

Cumberland.

The Portland Observatory telescope was in use nearly all day Monday by a party of old salts who were sure they could feel icebergs in the air and therefore thought they must be able to see them on the ocean. There was a suspicious whiteness outside of Half Way Rock on the horizon, but it failed to materialize into anything in the shape of bergs. Old sailors say that the unreasonable chill is undoubtedly due to the presence of ice somewhere near.

Mr. M. S. Gibson, the well known Maine hotel man, is about to leave Portland for St. Louis, where a new hotel is being built for him, opposite the Grand Union depot, which will be completed this fall.

At the Cumberland Supreme Judicial Court, Saturday, the following persons were admitted as members of the bar to practice anywhere in the State: LeRoy L. Hight, of Portland, C. A. Hight, of Portland, John F. A. Merrill, of Portland, Bertram L. Fletcher, of Monticello.

It is said that the Portland Y. M. C. A. has had an offer of $5,000 bonus for the Libbey property, so called, at the corner of High and Free streets.

The directors of the Maine General Hospital made a contract with Mr. John M. Fox, the electrical engineer of Portland, for an electrical plant in the hospital, which is now in operation. The plant consists of a Loomis dynamo with a capacity of two hundred and fifty incandescent lights, and if occasion requires three hundred, and was built by the Eureka Electric Company, of New York city. The lights are a pure white, clear and bright, and are a contrast to the oil lamps which they have replaced, and also give a brighter and more cheerful appearance to the interior as well as to the outside. It also does away with the odor and there is less danger from fire. The lights are thoroughly appreciated by the doctors and the patients. The interior of the new west wing of the Maine General Hospital is completed and the furnishings, beds, etc., will be put in this week. The new wards will make room for forty more patients. The want of more room has been felt for a long time as there are a great many more applicants for beds than could be furnished.

General Agent Whitney is fast bringing the Portland Union Station into metropolitan shape. Having turned the trains around chained the hackmen up and started a bulletin board for train reports, he has now established a brass gong to announce the starting time of trains and will have one of the slat work arrangements for showing the stations which different trains stop at, such as was in use at the Commercial street station. Other improvements may be expected.

The Knox & Lincoln railroad, as is well known, is now operated by the Maine Central under a 999 years lease. The Knox & Lincoln was originally built largely through the efforts and credit of the towns and cities along its line. And these towns held for years a great portion of its stock. The road was not taken by the Maine Central directly from the towns and cities; but through the agency of a syndicate which acquired it and turned it over. Some of the interested parties protested, Waldoboro leading the way. Saturday Judge Walton announced the decision of the Court in the case of the Inhabitants of Waldoboro against the Knox & Lincoln railroad and various towns, that the railroad company might be enjoined from selling, leasing, assigning or in any way transferring the road or its franchises which is that the bill be dismissed with costs.

Knox.

The Rockland city government has had a channel marked out for large steamers coming to Tillson's wharf.

Camden is to have a telephone exchange, twenty-two subscribers having been obtained.

Oxford.

As an instance showing "the ruling passion strong in jail," a Paris correspondent mentions that a man who was committed on a charge of burglary and larceny was released from the Paris jail on bail, the other day, and after he had gone the jailer found that he had wound a blanket around his body under his clothing and worn it away.

Sagadahoc.

Rev. George Henry Dole has been chosen permanent pastor of the New Church, Bath, at a salary of $1,500.

York.

Apheus Libby, of North Saco, fell from a hay mow, Saturday, upon a carriage wheel, breaking one leg and doing other injury. It is feared he will be lame for life.

THE GOOD TEMPLARS.

Resolutions Criticised by a Member of the Bar.

PATTEN, May 2nd, 1892.

Editor of the Whig:

In common with many others, I am surprised at the action of the Grand Lodge of Good Templars in passing, unanimously, resolutions assailing the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Maine, and pledging their "influence to secure legislative inquiry concerning the action of said Judge," in relation to his judicial conduct in the matter of liquor indictments found by the Grand Jury at the February Term of Court. It occurs to me that the Grand Lodge have said too much or not enough. When its members in convention assembled charge the Chief Justice with "deliberately nullifying the State law," with committing "a flagrant outrage upon the honor and majesty of the State," and with "high handed treason," and with permitting "criminals to escape the penalty pronounced upon them by law," is it not fair to call for specifications? The indictment against the honored Chief Justice is too general, too unfair and too intemperate to meet with the approval of fair minded citizens. When the Grand Lodge has shown in what respect His Honor has nullified the law, flagrantly outraged the honor and majesty of the State, what acts of high handed treason he has committed, and what criminals he has permitted to escape, then, and not until then, will the people of Maine have confidence in their charges.

I am satisfied that either they do not know what they are talking about, or they are terribly unjust. I will assume the former to be the explanation, because it is, perhaps, the most charitable view to take of the matter. I will assume that they have in mind the law against the sale of intoxicating liquors as amended by the Legislature of 1891, and that they are aggrieved because certain penalties were not imposed, provided for in these amendments.

By chap. 152, P. L., 1891—Any person who keeps a drinking house or tipling shop shall be fined one hundred dollars and costs and in addition thereto be imprisoned sixty days.

The same penalty is provided in case of conviction on a search and seizure, and severe penalties are imposed for transporting liquors with intent to sell the same, or with intent that they shall be sold by anybody else.

Now if any Good Templar or any good citizen will procure a conviction for any of the offences against the liquor law where the maximum is not and ought not to be imposed, I have no doubt the number they can get sentenced by the Chief Justice will be as large as the number they can convict and the economy of the jail.

But let me tell you, that, of the great number indicted at the February term, there were indicted under any of these provisions, but were indicted under the nuisance act, and why? Because the indictments were found by the Grand Jury almost wholly upon evidence of the payment of the United States special tax. By section 8, chapter 140, P. L. 1891.

Evidence of the payment of this tax is made prima facie evidence that the persons paying this tax are common sellers of intoxicating liquors, and the premises so kept by them common nuisances. Now then, the evidence of the payment of the tax being the only evidence produced, the Grand Jury gave it its statute weight and indicted the holders of the stamp for keeping and maintaining common nuisances.

By Section 2, Chapter 17, revised statutes, whoever keeps or maintains such a nuisance shall be fined not exceeding one thousand dollars or imprisoned in jail not more than one year.

It was under his provision of the statute that the respondents were brought before the Chief Justice for sentence. And the Chief Justice in the exercise of a sound, judicial discretion, sentenced them to pay a fine of one hundred dollars and costs.

And I respectfully submit to our temperance friends inside the Grand Lodge that there are thousands of just as strong friends of temperance outside the Grand Lodge, who believe that this attack upon the Court for exercising the discretion vested in the Court by the laws of the State, according to his best judgment and under his oath of office, is ill advised, intemperate and dangerous to the cause.

It seems that some of our over-zealous friends are neither satisfied with the enforcement or non-enforcement of the law, but are rather more troubled when it is enforced than when it is not, unless it happens to be enforced in their own way.

They are somewhat in the situation of a good old lady I once knew, who professed to be extremely anxious for her guests to enjoy themselves, but was very unhappy if, by any chance, they succeeded in doing it by any method except one of her own devising.

The position taken by the Lodge seems to be this: That the Chief Justice should sentence the respondents under one provision of the statute, when, as a matter of fact, they were indicted under another. It would be just as reasonable to expect the Court to sentence a man for arson under an indictment for stealing a cow.

I do not offer these suggestions as a defence of the Chief Justice, for he needs no defence. His life work is his defence; his honorable and exalted career is sufficient answer. The people of Maine know John A. Peters and it will take something more than resolutions to weaken in the smallest degree, the confidence reposed in him as a man above reproach and, a judge whose bearing, discretion and integrity are beyond question.

I further desire to state emphatically, that no criticism upon the laws of this State is intended by me. What I have said is in disapproval of the method of warfare indicated by these resolutions.

Permit me also to suggest that the Republican party has stood firm as a rock, always, in defence of all wise temperance legislation, and in the future, as in the past, can safely be trusted with the question. And further, that if the Grand Lodge intends as a body, to take a hand in politics, it should not let its zeal override its judgment. The campaign is inauspiciously begun, which is opened with an unwarranted attack upon the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Maine, and when they attempt to "secure legislative inquiry concerning the chair of said Judge at the coming session of the legislature," for exercising his judicial discretion, they will find they have made a mistake.

BERTRAM L. SMITH.

Meteorological Observations.

An abstract of the meteorological observations taken at the Maine State College of Agriculture and the Mechanic Arts, for the month of April, 1892:

Lat. 44° 54' 2" N. Lon. 68° 46' 11" W.
Altitude above the sea, 129 feet.

	1892.	1891.
Mean temperature	42°.76	41°.27
Maximum temperature	66°.8	68.6
Minimum temperature	24°.1	21.8
Mean of warmest day (6d)	54°.5 (18th)	51°.8
Mean of coldest day (12d)	31°.9 (5th)	30°.5
Mean percentage of cloudiness	49	52
Am't of rain	1.19 in.	3.26 in.
Amount of snow	0.50	11.00 in.

DIRECTION AND FORCE OF WINDS.

1892—N. W. & W., 158; S. W. & S., 22; S. E. & E., 56; N. E. & N., 14.
1891—N. W. & W., 53; S. W. & S., 13; S. E. & E., 10; N. E. & N., 24.

	Inches.	Inches.
Mean height of barometer	29.815	29.763
Maximum height of barometer	30.376	30.403
Minimum " "	28.198	29.000
Mean humidity of atmosphere	73	75

Comrade G. W. Hammond of Root Post, G. A. R., of Syracuse, N. Y.

Wounded at Cettysburg

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"I was in the Army of the Potomac and in the great battle of Gettysburg was struck in the ankle by a minnie ball, which shattered the bone. My leg was amputated and I lay in hospital, and after a long time it healed. I was discharged and went home. After years

My Wound Broke Open

afresh. Dr. Pease amputated [illegible] of the bone, and it healed. Four years [illegible] once more opened, and for [illegible] years how I suffered! I do not know [illegible] for a human being to suffer [illegible]. During this time I had to [illegible] being unable to wear a shoe on my leg. When ever possible I relieved my suffering by taking opiate, but who is I was obliged to go without it I suffered fearfully and I thought I should go crazy. I tried every thing I could get with my limited means. Physicians said I would never be any better. I tried

Blood Became Poisoned

and a circle of ulcers formed on some parts of my body so that [illegible] covered with sores. One sore [illegible] what Hood's Sarsaparilla would do, I took a full dollar bottle home and [illegible] and began taking it. As soon as I [illegible] my appetite returned, my food [illegible] be improving and after taking

Hood's Sarsaparilla

a few months [illegible] entirely. The sores [illegible] healed and now, four years [illegible] any sign of recurrence. [illegible] H. A. HAMMOND, 219 Magnolia Street, Syracuse, N. Y.

Col. C. A. Weaver

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WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1892.

REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

FOR PRESIDENTIAL ELECTORS.

For Electors at Large

THOMAS W. HYDE, of Bath.
WILLIAM M. NASH, of Cherryfield.

First District—
Second District—SIDNEY PERHAM.
Third District—A. W. WILDES.
Fourth District—RODNEY C. PENNEY.

FOR CONGRESSMEN

First District—
Second District—NELSON DINGLEY, Jr.
Third District—
Fourth District—CHARLES A. BOUTELLE.

Senator Hill is practically as much in control at Albany as he was when he occupied the Governor's chair. Governor Flower is nothing more than a dummy to execute the will of Boss Hill. It must give Mr. Cleveland a very tired feeling when he remembers how he played into the hands of his rival by throwing his influence in favor of Flower's election.

The so-called People's Party held a convention at Gardiner yesterday. Its platform reads a good deal like a declaration of Democratic principles, including free trade and free silver. Our Democratic friends seem to have a larger interest in the Gardiner performance than any one else, as the People's Party is first in the field and is evidently disposed to steal their thunder.

The New York *Herald* is making itself very disagreeable to the Mugwumps at the present time. It ridicules the idea that Cleveland will be the choice of the party at Chicago, and adds: "There is no use going into a fight with a man who hasn't one chance in a hundred of winning." As the *Herald* has been an earnest champion of Cleveland in the past, it is evident that it has learned something from the educational campaign of 1888.

The New York *Press* gives the following illustration of what protection has done for the pig iron production in this country: England's production of pig iron in 1860 was 3,889,752 tons; in 1890 it was 7,904,214 tons. The pig iron production of the United States in 1860 was 821,223 tons; in 1890 it had risen to 9,202,703 tons. That is to say our pig iron production under protection has increased more than five times as fast as England's production under free trade. The calamity shouters might study these figures with profit.

Just after Gov. McKinley had been honored above all other men in the State at its great convention, where he received an ovation, the Democratic Boston *Globe* spits out: "McKinley as Governor seems to be very much less of a popular hero in Ohio than McKinley as Congressman." If the Republicans of Ohio have withheld any honor from Governor McKinley, what is it? They made him president of the State convention, delegate-at-large to the National convention, and had he encouraged it, would have named him for a higher honor.

The thousands of people who have been for the past week attracted by the brilliancy of Venus, the most beautiful of all the planetary hosts, will behold her in the western sky even in more charming glory for the next two weeks. The evening sky will be dotted with myriads of twinkling stars in their brightest radiance and the night shades will be dispelled by the added light of the moon. But the peerless Venus is moving southward and will no longer swing in mid heavens. Though the lover of astronomy will not be able to behold her in the center of the heavenly vault, he will have the pleasure of seeing the brilliant, skirting the western sky for two months to come.

Just at the time when it is announced that the great shipbuilding company at Bath proposes to refit its yards for the building of steel ships, the Democratic House passes a free ship bill. Hon. Arthur Sewell who is at the head of the Bath company, is also the Maine member of the Democratic National Committee. As a progressive business man this action of the Democrats in the House ought to be an instructive object lesson, showing as it does how soon the sound of the hammer would cease in his yard if the Democratic party had the shaping of the legislation in this country. Fortunately for the people Republican protectionists stand between them and this Democratic raid upon the tariff.

With fourteen State conventions to be held this week to appoint delegates at large to the Minneapolis Convention, the Republican politicians will be kept quite busy. The Connecticut and California Republicans met Tuesday, the Illinois, Maryland, North Carolina, Wyoming, and Tennessee Republicans will meet today, and the Delaware, West Virginia, Minnesota, Idaho, Kansas, Virginia, and Rhode Island Republicans on Thursday. Only two other States will then be left. These are Montana and North Carolina, and the Republicans in those States will meet next week. Some of the Territories will choose their delegates only in time for them to hurry from the Territorial convention to the National Convention.

Little more than a year ago Governor Horace Boies stood by a loaded banquet table in New York and talked about his own Hawkeye State in a way to impress his hearers with the belief that the people in Iowa were little better off than the peasants of Russia, says the Chicago *Inter-Ocean*. The Iowa farmers resented their Governor's insult at the time and now they have given practical demonstration of their prosperity by donating ten solid trains of 300 loaded cars of corn for the peasants of Russia. This magnificent donation from the Iowa people will be placed in the hold of the "Tynehead," the steamer chartered by the Russian Government, and will soon be delivered to the Imperial Relief Society in St. Petersburg for distribution. The Governor of Iowa finds that he is not the chief executive for a State made up of paupers. They responded to his proclamation calling attention to the dire distress across the sea with a readiness that must have made him ashamed of his insult to them in his New York banquet speech. The people of Iowa have ever been able and ready to help the needy. They are no less so now with a Democratic Governor who slanders them to preach free trade than when they had executives who boasted of their independence and prosperity, drawing attention of the Nation to Iowa as one of the greatest States of the Union. There ought to be a moral in all this to Governor Horace Boies.

Binding Twine.

Another step was taken in the pin sticking programme in this Democratic House, Tuesday, when the bill placing binding twine on the free list was rushed through under a suspension of the rules. It was perhaps a wise move on the part of the Democrats to apply the pin in order to shut off debate, because a full discussion of the bill would have served to show [illegible] article from the Philadelphia *Record* on this subject, in which the tariff writer for that paper undertakes to argue that because the removal of the duty on sugar has proved a good thing for the people, a benefit conferred in spite of the united opposition of the Democratic party, the removal of the duty on binding twine would also be a good thing. This is about as logical a conclusion as one might expect from the average free trader.

The manufacture of binding twine is essentially an American industry. It has been made so by the fostering care of a protective tariff. It was first introduced as a substitute for wire in 1878, at a cost of seventeen cents a pound, a reduction of forty per cent. in the expense to the consumer. From that time the production has steadily increased in this country, until for many years the entire amount consumed here has been produced at home. We now have some thirty-five cordage and binding twine factories in this country, which disburse annually the sum of $2,000,000 among the wage earners. In Massachusetts alone some 20,000 people are dependent upon this industry for a livelihood.

The duty on binding twine is now only seven-tenths of one cent a pound and the price to the consumer has been reduced by home competition from seventeen cents to seven and one-half cents a pound. It has been figured that it requires from one and a quarter to one and a half pounds of twine for an acre of grain. Now if we were to admit that the duty is added to the cost, which, however, is not true, it would amount to the magnificent sum of one cent an acre, or less than one mill to a bushel of grain. But this is not all. In the West twine is being manufactured from American hemp, the raising of which is more profitable to the farmer than that of any cereal.

The present duty, small as it is, means just the difference between manufacturing our own twine and turning this industry over to the foreign manufacturer. The labor cost in this country is about two cents a pound, or about as five to three as compared with the wages paid in foreign countries. In China they are now manufacturing twine on American machines at a labor cost of five dollars a month. The New England workingmen whom the Democratic party would force to compete with this under paid labor, or seek other employment, will know how to express their opinion of that party when they go to the polls it is full.

The *Commercial* made a bad fluke when it tackled the wool question the other day; and by thus reproducing the binding twine article from the *Record* sinks itself a little deeper in the mire of its tariff ignorance.

SPECIAL NOTICES.

Bangor Council, No. 5, R. & S. M.

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Sch A J Whiting, Lyman, Bar Harbor.
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DOMESTIC PORTS.

NEW YORK. Ar 1st, sch Stephen Bennett, Anderson, Brunswick 10 days. Round South, sch Ada S Allen, Dudley, Calais.
BALTIMORE. Ar 1st, sch D S Williams, Jr, Cullen, Bangor.
NEWBURYPORT. Sld 1st, sch W H Mitchell, Bangor.
PHILADELPHIA. Ar 1st sch Walter W Rasin, Vaneman, Bangor.
SAVANNAH. Ar 1st, sch Jennie S Willey, Bulger, Charleston.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

Monetary Quotations.

NEW YORK, May 3. Money easy 1@2; last loan 1½; closing at 1½.
Prime Mercantile paper 3@5.
Sterling Exchange—quiet; easier; 4.86½ for 60 day bills; 4.88½ demand.
Government bonds dull; steady.
Railroad bonds quiet, firm.

STOCKS.

Adams Express	145	preferred	144
American Express	118	N. Y. Central	114
Central Pacific	30½	N. Y. Chic. & St. L.	17¾
Ches. & Ohio	24½	preferred	74½
Chicago & Alton	150	Ohio & Miss	20
" preferred	190	Ont. & Western	19
Chic. Bur. & Quincy	97	Oregon Trans-Con't.	14½
Del. Hudson	144½	Pacific Mail	35½
Del. Lack	138	Pullman Palace	193½
Den. & Rio Grande	17¾	Reading	59½
Erie	26½	Rock Island	83¾
" preferred	71	St. Louis & San Fran	00
Ills. Central	110	preferred	000
Ind. Bloom & West	000	Let preferred	000
Lake Erie & Westn.	00	St. Paul	77½
Lake Shore	131½	preferred	129½
Louisville & Nash.	74½	St. Paul Min. & Man.	112½
Manhattan El	123½	St. Paul & Omaha	47½
Mich. Cent.	101½	preferred	115½
Minn. & St. L.	12	Texas Pacific	19½
preferred	27½	Union Pacific	43½
Mo. Pacific	69	U. S. Express	45
N. J. Central	124½	Wabash, St. L. & Pac.	12
Northern Pacific	20½	preferred	26½
preferred	53½	Western Union	92½
Northwestern	120		

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4s reg	115½	Erie Seconds	107½
4s Coup	115½	Kan. Pac. Consols	110
U. S. 2s	100	Oregon Nav. 1st	111½
Central Pacific 1sts	108	Union Firsts	108
Den. & Rio G. 1sts	115		

New York Produce Market.

NEW YORK, May 3. FLOUR—receipts 23,315 pkgs; exports, 10,922 bbls; 9,009 sacks; fairly active; sales, 27,000; Low extras 2.50@3.30 City Mill, 4.75@4.75; City Mill patents, 4.65@4.90; winter wheat, low grades, 2.25@3.35; fair to fancy, 3.40@4.50; patents 4.15@4.90; Minnesota clear, 3.50@4.40; straights, 3.90@4.60; patents, 4.15@5.00; superfine, 2.25@3.00; rye mixtures, 3.50@4.10; superfine, 2.25@3.15; fine 1.85@2.25. Southern flour, quiet; steady; common to fair extras, 3.50@4.75; good to choice, 0.00@0.00.
RYE FLOUR—steady; 4.00@4.40.
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—out of sense.
BUCKWHEAT—52@57.
CORN MEAL—quiet; unchanged.
WHEAT—Rects 321,500; exports 300,868; sales 338,000; unsettled. No. 2 Red, 97¼@98¼ store and elevator, 98¼@98 afloat; 96¾@98¼ f.o.b; No. 3, 93@94; No. 1 Northern, 90@92½; No. 1 hard 95@95¾; No. 2 Northern, 89½@93¾.
RYE—dull; heavy Western 80½@81.
BARLEY—dull; unchanged No. 2 Milwaukee, 68@69.
CORN—Rects 34,875; exports 110,265; sales 192,000; stronger; fair business. No. 2 5.30½@51½ elevator; 55½@52½ afloat; No. 2 white, 53@60; ungraded mixed, 47½@49½; No. 3, 45½@46½; steamer mixed, 48@49½.
OATS—Rects 140,425; exports 1,425; sales 123,000, firmer; active. No. 3, 33@0; white, 35½@38; No. 2, 33½@34½; white, 36½@36½; No. 1, 38@00; white, 41@00; mixed western, 34@35½; white do, 34@40; white State, 34@40; No. 2 Chicago, 00@00.

Chicago Produce Market.

CHICAGO, May 3. FLOUR—steady; unchanged.
WHEAT—higher; No. 2 Spring, 80½@81; No. 2 Red, 85½@87½.
CORN—closed higher. No. 2, 41½@42¾.
OATS—firm; higher. No. 2, 29@00.
RYE—No. 2, 71.

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A FEW ROLLS OF VERY GOOD TAPESTRY AT 38c.
ALSO A FEW ROLLS OF EXTRA SUPER ALL-WOOLS, STANDARD MAKES, WHICH WE WILL SELL FOR THE VERY LOW FIGURE OF 38c.
THESE PRICES ARE LESS THAN MANUFACTURERS' PRICES.
BY COMING EARLY YOU WILL HAVE A BETTER ASSORTMENT TO SELECT FROM.

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UNION HALL,
A. J. MOREY, - - - MANAGER.
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AT
FRANK D. PILLEN & CO'S
Corner of State and Exchange Streets.
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Before Ordering a Writing Machine See the
SMITH :: PREMIER :: TYPEWRITER
At 104 Exchange Street.
S. H. BOARDMAN, Agent for Eastern Maine.
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ON MAY 4TH, 1782, JOHN JAMES AUDUBON, famed for his work "The Birds of America," was born in Louisiana.
His life may virtually be said to have been spent with rifle and sketch book in hand. Some idea of his copiously and expensively illustrated book will be conceived when it is stated that it sold for a thousand dollars a copy.

Good things often come high and are not easily dispensed with, but when you come to our store and see the large variety of Pants, Men's or Boy's Suits, Spring Overcoats, latest styles of Hats and Gentlemen's Furnishing Goods, and the very Low Prices we are selling such Standard Fine Clothing at, you will easily see that you can afford to dress well if you do your trading at

WATERMAN'S
"BOSS" ONE PRICE CLOTHING HOUSE,
73, 75 and 77 Exchange St.,
BANGOR.
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HEARD'S SPRING.
To prevent Carriage Shafts from Rattling can be instantly operated and removed without uncoupling the shaft or removing any part of the vehicle. Sample pair, 25 cents. Manufactured by LUKE HEARD, 63 Court Street, Boston. Established in 1877.
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ASPARAGUS,
Rhubarb, Cucumbers, Tomatoes, Radishes, Lettuce,
—AT—
LEIGHTON'S MARKET
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Vocal Harmony Classes,
50 Cents a Lesson.
The spring term (of ten lessons) begins Wednesday, May 4th. For Juveniles at 4 o'clock. For adults at 7:45 P. M.
FRANK LESLIE CROWELL,
87 OHIO STREET.
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REAL ESTATE.

FOR SALE. House lots on Highland, Ohio, Jackson, Montgomery, Leighton, Norfolk, Fountain and Grant Streets.
M. LINCOLN, 44 Exchange Street.
may4

FOR SALE. A Bangor Buggy in good condition, at a bargain. Inquire of Peregrine White, City. tf eod apr9

Wanted, Lost, Found, To Let, Etc

Advertisements under the head of wanted, lost, found, to let, etc., not exceeding four lines, 10 cents each insertion when prepaid. When not prepaid, regular advertising rates will be charged.

WANTED. Family washing done at home to the best advantage for four months. Mrs. J. Connelly, No. 4 Otis Street, City.
may4 1t*

WANTED Immediately. An experienced man to do garden work. Long job. C. A. Bailey, 15 Hammond St.
may4 3t*

Pug Dog Lost. Lost on Main street yesterday small pug dog named Charlie. Had on green ribbon and bells. Return to Mr. Harlow, agent Collateral Loan Co., an receive a reward.
may4 3t*

WANTED—A first-class wood turner and band sawyer. MORSE & COMPANY.
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FOR SALE. A second hand Brewster buggy. Vose & McLellan, Hammond and Franklin streets. tf apr21

AN ELEGANT NEW LINE
—OF—
Meerschaum and French Briar
PIPES.
Just Received and For Sale Cheap by
TEA WHITE.
apr30 d&w

PURITY.
Dr. Price's Pure Flavoring Extracts. Superior to any and all.
For sale wholesale and retail by
THOMPSON & KELLOGG.
12 Central Street.
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REMOVAL!
LEIGHTON, DAVENPORT & CO.
have removed from their old stand, corner of Exchange and York Streets, to
No. 96 Exchange Street,
Opposite the Penobscot Exchange.
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PIVER'S FACE CREAM. The leading Parisian Cosmetique. Absolutely harmless and a perfect face beautifier. A first-class medicam. On sale with all leading druggists.
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THE BEST BLACK to have your clothing cleaned, repaired and pressed is at Fred W. Johnson's, 79 Pickering Sq.
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Miss J. R. A[illegible] COCHRANE
have returned from Boston and are prepared to show their customers a fine assortment of Millinery, Dress and Fancy goods.
The finest stock of Dress Goods ever seen, a large variety of neat Novelties.
During the week an assortment of trimmed hats and bonnets will be displayed.
Miss J. R. & A. A. COCHRANE.
East Corinth, May 2, 1892.
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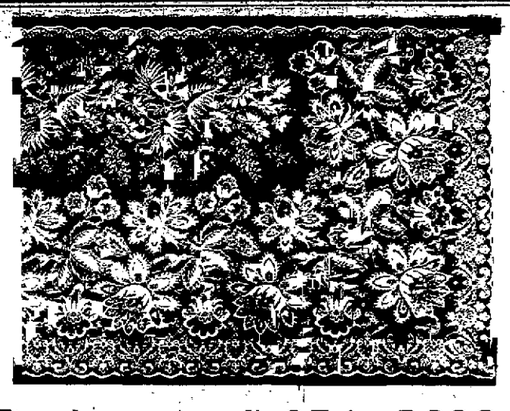
TO LET.
Cushman Cottage at Hampden Point. For particulars [illegible]



Monday, April 25th, 1892:

Nothing in the furnishing of a room performs its part so satisfactorily as the Window and Door Draperies. It is not necessary that they be expensive to be artistic and durable.
We carry the largest retail line of Nottingham Laces in the State, buying direct from the manufacturer in Glasgow, saving all middle profit of the jobber. Our prices range from 75c. to $6 per pair, the above cut representing our No. 6,304, which we can furnish with Brass Trimmed Pole and Loops at $2.50 per pair. It should be seen in our Curtain Department to be fully appreciated, where we can show a line of over fifty new designs, together with a choice assortment of Poles and Trimmings in all grades.
A. [illegible] Rogers & Son.
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On SATURDAY, May 14th, at 10 A. M.,
I shall hold the third in my series of Auction Sales of Horses, and shall offer an excellent assortment, suited both for working and driving. I shall also offer new and second hand buggies.
CHARLES W. MORSE, Windsor Hotel Stables.
may3 1s

MARK DOWN SALE
::OF::
HOSIERY.
25 DOZEN
English & French Hosiery
In Lisle Thread and Fine Cotton, Regular 50 cent Quality,
Only 29c., or 4 pairs for $1.
25 DOZEN
SEAMLESS HOSE,
21c., or 5 pairs for $1.
These are Matchless Bargains and cannot last but a few days.
Gentlemen take notice and govern yourselves accordingly.
James A. Robinson & Son,
WHEELWRIGHT & CLARK'S BLOCK.
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Improves the driving (on the West Branch) but as a walking improver J. P. is in bad odor. Walking is improved in one sense by our brand of Woman's Kid Button Boots, they are so easy and noncorn producable. Prices just right.
E. J. DAVIS & CO.,
19 WEST MARKET SQUARE.
may2 sn

IF you wish to find the variety to select the finest dinner from in Bangor call at The Leading Market. Everything fresh by express this morning. Plenty of Salmon on hand at
LYNCH'S MARKET, Exchange Street.
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AN INVITATION
—FROM—
OAKES & CHANDLER
—TO—
THE LADIES
of Bangor and vicinity to visit their place of business for the purpose of examining their fine line of FURNITURE and CARPETS which they have just opened, is hereby cordially extended.
26 and 28 Hammond Street.
Opposite Court House.
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WE SHOW THIS WEEK
NEW HATS FOR LADIES AND MISSES,
BOTH EXTRA FINE AND CHEAP STRAWS.
19 Main Street, - - - C. W. COFFIN.
Eastern Maine Agency Butterick's Patterns and Publications. Send for a free catalogue.
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PRICES TELL.
EVERYBODY TELLS THE PRICE.
In buying your Clothing for yourself or your boys you must consult, firstly, your pocket book; secondly, Where can I get the Best Clothing for the least money? We can solve that problem for you. Our stock of Clothing to-day is larger, the styles more choice, the make better than we ever carried, formerly. See these prices!

A Good Strong School Suit,	$1.00
A Union Cassimere School Suit,	$1.50
An all-wool Suit,	$2.00
An " Men's Suit,	$5.00
" " Overcoat,	$5.00
2,000 pair fast-black Men's half Hose,	15 cents
400 Men's Silk Handkerchiefs,	22 cents

[illegible] AVOID THE RUSH.
Boston Clothing Store,
[illegible] M. LEVY, Proprietor,
8 Kenduskeag Block,
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Whig and Courier.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 4, 1892.

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TELEGRAPH.

MAINE NEWS.

MASONIC GRAND LODGE.

The Annual Session at Portland Officers Elected.

PORTLAND, May 3. The Grand Masonic Lodge was called on at 2 P. M. The arrival of Past Grand Master Estes made the presence complete of all the Past Grand Masters living. Representatives of forty-one more lodges arrived, so that one hundred and seventy-seven out of one hundred and ninety-one lodges were represented. The following grand officers were elected:

Grand Master, Henry R. Taylor, Machias, unanimously.

Deputy Grand Master, Horace H. Burbank, Saco.

Senior Grand Warden, Augustus B. Farnham, Bangor.

Junior Grand Warden, Howard D. Smith, Norway.

Grand Treasurer, Frederick Fox, Portland.

Grand Secretary, Stephen Berry, Portland.

Committee on Finance, Marquis F. King, Portland; Edward P. Burnham, Saco; Albro E. Chase, Portland.

Trustees, Charity Fund for three years, Frank E. Sleeper, Saburrus; A. M. Wetherbee, Warren.

After some routine business the Grand Lodge was called off until 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon.

Evening Session.

This evening the Grand Royal Arch Chapter of Maine met at 7 o'clock, Grand High Priest Charles J. Collamore, of Bangor, presiding. The report of the committee on credentials showed that 41 out of 49 chapters were represented. Twelve of the sixteen Past Grand High Priests were present.

The address of the Grand High Priest showed a prosperous year. The number of members is 5,121, being an increase of 155. Number of candidates, 317. The following officers were elected:

Grand High Priest, Albert M. Pealey, Auburn, unanimously.

Deputy Grand High Priest, Judson B. Dunbar, Portland.

Grand King, Seward S. Stearns, Norway.

Grand Scribe, Henry S. Webster, Gardiner.

Grand Treasurer, Rufus K. Hinckley, Portland.

Grand Secretary, Stephen Berry, Portland.

Committee on Finance, Josiah H. Drummond, Portland, Joseph A. Locke, Portland, Horace H. Burbank, Saco.

At 10 the Grand Chapter was called off until 9 A. M. Wednesday.

PEOPLE'S PARTY.

The Nominations by Districts.

GARDINER, May 3. In the People's party convention when Mr. Bateman was escorted to the platform as chairman, amid loud cheers, three times given, he spoke enthusiastically, reviewing the condition of England's and Germany's common people as illustrating the falsity of the position of the two great parties in the tariff question. He expressed his approval of the free silver plank in the platform and was vigorously applauded.

The reports of the district convention were then made as follows:

First District—Congressman Moulton, Falmouth; Presidential electors, W. H. Jewett, Portland; delegates to Omaha, D. O. Moulton, Falmouth, Peter Gordon, Portland, G. N. Weymouth, Biddeford, Prescott Robinson, Pownal.

Second District—Congressman, N. W. Lermond, Thomaston; elector, Dr. L. F. Webster, Webster; delegates to Omaha, E. Y. Turner, Auburn, H. S. Hobbs, Rockland, A. A. Beaton, Rockland, C. D. White, Leeds.

Third District—Congressman, G. W. Gillette, Gardiner; elector, B. F. Haskell; delegates to Omaha, L. C. Bateman, Searsmont, E. W. Boynton, Augusta, H. B. Carter, Ellsworth, Joseph Cyphers, Gardiner.

Fourth District—Congressman, O. D. Chapman, Plymouth; elector, Solomon Gee, Orono; delegates to Omaha, I. B. Clark, Bangor, O. D. Chapman, Plymouth, M. S. Berry, Brownville, J. S. Norris, Foxcroft.

Reports were made by the State committee and executive committee, and a collection was taken to defray the expenses of the committees. It was voted that the State committee consist of three members from each county and it was made accordingly.

A resolution was passed urging personal effort in the enrollment of voters and securing signatures on the nomination papers. Nearly $200 was pledged by those present towards the fund for carrying forward the work of the party throughout the State. M. B. Spinney, of Small Point, introduced a resolution against the free silver plank already adopted but the resolution was defeated by a vote of about 70 to 1, Mr. Spinney being the only one voting in its favor. Adjourned sine die. This evening a ratification meeting was held, which was addressed by Mr. Bateman and others. Many delegates remained in town for this rally.

HALLOWELL GRANITE CUTTERS

Join the Big Quarrymen's Strike.

AUGUSTA, May 3. The granite cutters employed at the Hallowell granite works to-day joined the quarrymen's strike, the cause being a disagreement over the employment of non-union men as drillers in place of quarrymen. Three hundred men are out. The quarrymen still decline to accept the proposed change in the date of the bill of prices from May first to January first. The cutters' present bill expires on the fourteenth and the same trouble will arise. Representatives of the company left this afternoon to attend the meeting of the granite manufacturers at Boston Wednesday.

THE MAVERICK BANK.

Receiver Beal Sued by a Maine Company.

BOSTON, May 3. The Maine Trust and Banking Company have sued Receiver Beal of the Maverick Bank to recover $40,000 worth of bonds deposited as security for any balances in its dealings with the bank.

NO CAUSE KNOWN

For Suicide of Hurricane Island Man.

ROCKLAND, May 3. Robert Flanders, of Hurricane Island, committed suicide to-day by cutting his throat. No cause was assigned.

OLD ORCHARD HOTEL

Sold to a Portland Man, Tuesday.

BIDDEFORD, May 3. The Ocean House at Old Orchard was sold to-day to Daniel H. Swan, of Portland.

ANOTHER REPORT

That Mr. Blaine will Accept the Nomination.

CHICAGO, May 3. A Tribune special from Detroit says that Capt. Gavett, a personal friend of Mr. Blaine, says that the Secretary will certainly accept the nomination if it is offered him. He says he has private assurances to this effect.

A FEW FOR HILL

But Most Solid Carolina Delegates were Unfortunate.

CHARLESTON, S. C., May 3. All the counties in this state held Democratic conventions yesterday to send delegates to the state convention to choose delegates to Chicago. A few counties instructed for Hill, but a large majority were unfortunate delegates.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Conference Report on Chinese Bill Adopted by Senate.

House Passes the Diplomatic and Consular Bill.

Senate Amendments to the Army Bill Non-Concurred In.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, May 3. The President's message on the international conference as to silver coinage was called up and Mr. Kyle addressed the Senate on the free coinage of silver. The message was again laid on the table.

The conference report on the Chinese exclusion bill was then laid before the Senate.

Mr. Sherman stated that although a member of the conference committee he was not able to sign the report. He was very willing to provide any necessary legislation for the restriction of Chinese labor and thought the Senate bill had done it very broadly.

He looked upon the introduction of Chinese laborers through Canada as an insult to the United States. It was incidents like these which tended to create excitement and irritation along the border and would some day cause great difficulty. Mr. Sherman said the provision in the conference report requiring Chinese laborers now in the country to procure certificates, inaugurated a new departure of the government in this country and was of a parity with "ticket-of-leave" system. That provision in the conference report raised a doubt in his mind whether it was not in violation of the treaty of 1880.

Mr. Dolph, another of the Senate conferees, defended the report. He did not see any objection to the registration provisions, though he would rather be a benefit to the Chinese now in the United States, as being evidence of their right to remain. Mr. Dolph's attention was called to the fact that certificates are to be issued by collectors of internal revenue, although they may reside hundreds of miles from the locality where the Chinaman lived also to the fact that a right to a certificate had to be supported by evidence of one white witness (excluding evidence of colored men). Mr. Dolph did not regard these objections as very material.

Mr. Morgan, the third Senate conferee, argued that there was a precedent for the certificate provision in the fact that the Indians of reservations are not allowed to leave the reservation without the consent of the Indian agent or the military authorities.

Mr. Frye spoke of a visit he made to Rock Springs, Wyo., where he had seen about a hundred Chinamen—peaceable quiet, well behaved, cleanly people, also there were two companies of infantry. When he inquired of their commander why the troops were there, he was told their presence was necessary to protect the lives of these quiet, unoffending Chinamen from a horde of unnaturalized Poles and Hungarians who worked in the mines.

Mr. Call believed the pending measure would involve the loss of hundreds of millions of dollars to the already ruined cotton industry of the South.

Mr. Palmer opposed it because a Chinaman seeking to come into the United States is not to be admitted to bail, an unnecessary, harsh provision.

Mr. Hiscock argued that Congress had the same right to legislate for restricting the admission of foreigners to the country as it had to legislate for restricting the importation of foreign produce.

A vote was taken and the conference report was agreed to, yeas, 30; nays, 12, Mr Frye voting nd.

The House bill placing binding twine on the free list was referred to the Finance Committee. Other House bills referred were to encourage American shipping; pensioning survivors of Indian wars; making appropriations for the Behring sea arbitration.

The Senate went into executive session and at 5.15 adjourned.

House.

The House went into Committee of the Whole, with Mr. Oates, of Alabama, in the chair, on the diplomatic and consular appropriation bill.

Consideration of the consular portion of the bill was completed without any material change made, notwithstanding Mr. Hitt's earnest efforts to increase the salaries of various consuls above the amounts appropriated by the bill.

The committee reverted to the amendment offered by Mr. Chipman, of Michigan, providing that no part of the emergency fund be paid any foreign government in settlement of any claim against the United States.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Blount of Georgia, in charge of the bill, moved to strike out the appropriation of $65,000 to continue the preliminary survey for an intercontinental railway. He said it would connect this Government with railroads in South America, which might implicate us in a war of conquest. He believed if this proposition were enacted into a law, the United States would be pledged to the construction of the railroad and if required to furnish a subsidy to do so.

Mr. McCreary, of Kentucky, opposed the motion. It was not a proposition to build a railroad, it was simply a proposition that the United States should furnish $65,000 to complete the survey already two-thirds accomplished.

There was nothing in the clause that pledged the United States to furnish $1 for the construction of the road.

Mr. O'Neill, of Missouri, expressed the opinion that the appropriation should be made. His appeal to the House that it should put a stop to this poor five cent way of doing business elicited applause, and called from Mr. Reed, of Maine, the remark that the statement was very beautiful, but not Democratic. After further debate the motion was agreed to—113 to 71.

Mr. Blount moved to strike out the appropriation of $25,000 for the collection and distribution of commercial information as recommended by the International American conference; agreed to.

The committee rose and reported the bill, as amended, to the House.

Mr. Hooker, of Mississippi, demanded a separate vote on the amendment striking out the $35,000 appropriation for an Intercolonial railroad commission; agreed to—yeas 145 nays 84.

He demanded a separate vote on the amendment striking out the appropriation for a commercial bureau of American Republics.

The amendment was rejected, yeas, 74; nays, 153. The appropriation for an International bureau of American Republics remains in the bill. The bill was then passed.

On motion of Mr. Outhwaite, of Ohio, the Senate amendments to the Army appropriation bill were non-concurred in and a conference ordered.

The House then adjourned.

A BAD LOT.

Wife Murderer Eno Sentenced to Ten Years.

PUTNAM, Conn., May 3. Lewis Eno, who is charged with the attempted murder of his wife at Moosupa, Conn., to-day pleaded guilty and was sentenced by Judge Hall to ten years in state prison.

He is a brother of the Eno who hanged himself in jail at Lawrence, Mass, recently while awaiting trial for the murder of his wife.

CRITICAL ILLNESS

Of Hon. George M. Stearns, of Chicopee, Reported.

BOSTON, May 3. It was stated this morning by one in a position to know that Hon. George M. Stearns, of Chicopee, is critically ill. He for some time has been troubled with gout in the feet, but recently all signs of the disease have suddenly disappeared in a manner to cause great anxiety among his physicians as it is feared a stroke of apoplexy may result and prove fatal.

ANNA E. DICKINSON

Much Improved from Her Recent Attack.

NEW YORK, May 3. Anna M. Dickinson, who was reported last night as lying at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, was much improved this morning and her physicians say her recovery is expected soon.

SLIGHTLY WARMER

And Perhaps Generally Fair.

U. S. DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WASHINGTON, May 4, 1:00 A. M.

For the next twenty-four hours for Maine, New Hampshire and Vermont: Generally fair weather, warmer in southern portion, winds becoming [illegible]

HOURS A PRESIDENT.

Increase of Population Everywhere Reported by Senators.

Eastport's Big Sardine Industry Due to the Protective Tariff.

Report on the Effect of the Tariff Law on Trade Relations.

WASHINGTON, May 3. The Senate Committee on Finance has not yet considered the tariff bills passed by the House. The meeting this morning was devoted to discussion of the bill amendatory of the direct tax act.

Chairman Morrill, who with Senator McPherson constituted the sub-committee to inquire into the effect of tariff laws on trade relations between this country and Canada, was authorized to present the report to the Senate.

The report was presented later in the day by Mr. Morrill. It is a voluminous document accompanied by a mass of testimony taken by the sub-committee.

The points visited were Eastport and Calais, Maine; Newport, Ogdensburg, Oswego and Buffalo, N. Y.; Cleveland and Toledo, Ohio; Detroit, Mich., and cities lying upon the eastern and northern boundary lines.

The report says: All the places visited in our own country showed increasing population, but on the other side of the line, as we are informed, the population is everywhere diminishing. St. John, N. B., had 4,000 less population in 1891 than in 1881. From the testimony taken it was clear that the United States

Offered Better Markets

and higher prices for everything the Canadian farmers had to sell than could be obtained in the Canadian Dominions. The price there of horses, cattle, sheep, hay, peas, beans, potatoes, butter, eggs and poultry was invariably as much below the selling price in the United States as the amount of duties imposed and cost of transportation. When the duty on imported horses was increased the price of horses fell in Canada, and the same with eggs and barley.

When the duty on pine lumber was reduced $1 per 1,000 feet that amount was at once generally added to the price of lumber in Canada, so no advantage was derived by the United States from a reduction of the duty as far as the Canadian Dominion is concerned. No doubt they bear the entire burden of the duties imposed on their exports into the United States.

It was ascertained at Eastport from the owners of the sardine factories, being among the largest consumers of tin, that the increased duty thereon increased the prices $1 a box, amounting to one mill on each can of sardines, but

It Had Not Affected Their Business

nor the wages of their workmen and consumers are supplied with sardines at less cost than ever. Some of them, however, admitted that in consequence of much cheaper labor elsewhere they could not sustain the sardine business in the absence of a protective tariff.

More or less emigrants appeared to be entering our country from Canada, and all along the border line at some points it was stated that large numbers in the spring of the year, as at Newport where 800 per day came in to find employment for the season and returned in the autumn. Others, for the same reason, came in the autumn and returned in the spring.

The Report Says that Wages are Much Less

in Canada than in the United States, the average difference being above 25 per cent. No fishing vessels are fitted out at Eastport because crews can not be got to work at as low wages as Canadians. The business at Eastport is three times as much as it was before the abrogation of the Canadian reciprocity treaty, notwithstanding the close of the codfish business. They would be unable to endure the admission of sardines free of duty.

The increase of duties on horses is said to have resulted in advantage to the State of Maine, as it raised the grade of animals imported.

No hay was imported last year as a result of the increased duty on that staple. Canadian railroads are subsidized from first to last. The Intercolonial is now run at an annual loss of from $600,000 to $800,000, and does not earn its running expenses.

At Newport, Vt., a lumber centre, wages are 25 per cent. higher for common labor than in Canada. Skilled labor taken into Canada receives the same wages.

REPUBLICANS CHEER

The Names of Blaine, Harrison and Reed at Connecticut State Convention.

HARTFORD, Conn., May 3. The Republican State Convention met to-night for preliminary organization. There was a full attendance of leading Republicans from all over the State. Chairman Benton called the convention to order and Joseph L. Barbour, of Hartford, was chosen temporary chairman and made a lively speech. His allusions to Blaine, Harrison, Reed and Governor Bulkeley, were received with loud cheers. N. D. Sherry, postmaster of New Haven, spoke on the tariff.

E. D. Bassett, late United States minister to Hayti, spoke for the colored race. Committees were appointed and the meeting adjourned to 10 to-morrow. At that time Senator Hawley will be chosen permanent chairman. It seems to be conceded that Governor Bulkeley, of Hartford, James P. Platt, of Meriden, Timothy E. Hopkins, Daniel Sonville and Lorin A. Cooke will be the four delegates-at-large.

AN EXCITING DISCUSSION

And Lively Scenes at a Conference in Omaha, Neb.

OMAHA, Neb., May 3. The second day's meeting of the Quodrennial Methodist conference opened with Bishop Merrill, of Chicago, in the chair. The galleries and balconies were crowded with sightseers, mostly women.

Trouble arose immediately after the reading of the minutes, many of the delegates claiming that their votes yesterday had been recorded improperly. A heated discussion arose and an hour was lost in trying to straighten out the record.

It was finally discovered that the published report in the daily record was erroneous and peace was restored. The selection of seats was then proceeded with. Many of the spectators had drifted into the hall and appropriated seats which were set apart for the delegates and would not give them up and it became necessary to call the roll to discover the wrong votes that had gotten into the fold.

There was much confusion and exciting discussion and at 12.30 the delegates were still wrangling over their seats.

AN ELECTRIC COMBINE

Of Six Interests in that Business.

CHICAGO, May 3. The combination of the Westinghouse electric manufacturing interests with the big foreign firm of Siemens & Halsers, is reported here as having been formed to oppose the latest Thomson-Houston aggregation. President Harrison and Secretary Elkins are said to be stockholders in the Westinghouse, Siemens, Halsar combination.

AGED MAN SUICIDES

While in His Last Sickness.

GREAT FALLS, N. H., May 3. Alvin Jenkins, a respected physician of this town took laudanum this morning and died at noon. He had been sick about four months and could only have lived a few weeks. The action was committed during temporary aberration. He was over 80 years old and leaves a wife.

A NEW COMPANY

Organized Under Auspicious Circumstances.

CHICAGO, May 3. The British and American Debenture Company has been organized here with $5,000,000 capital. The business of the company will be the purchase of government securities, paying six per cent. and more on which debenture bonds will be issued to be sold abroad, where as six per cent is practically the maximum rate on good real estate in Chicago, seven and eight per cent. can be obtained in growing cities beyond the Mississippi.

ALLIANCE ADVOCATES

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THE TURF.

The Record of Tuesday's Games.

At Chicago.

Chicagos,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Bostons,	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	x	—3

Hits—Chicagos, 3; Bostons, 6. Errors, Chicagos, 3; Bostons, 0.

Batteries—Hutchison and Kittredge; Staley and Ganzel.

At Pittsburg.

First game.

Pittsburgs,	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	—4
Brooklyns,	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	—3

Hits—Pittsburg, 6; Brooklyn, 7. Errors—Pittsburg, 3; Brooklyn, 4.

Batteries—Baldwin and Mack; Hart and Daley.

Second game.

Pittsburgs,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Brooklyns,	3	1	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	—8

Hits—Pittsburg, 1; Brooklyn, 3. Errors—Pittsburg, 7; Brooklyn, 3.

Batteries—Galvin, Camp and Mack; Earle, Inks and Daley.

At Louisville.

Louisvilles,	0	0	0	0	3	0	1	0	0	—4
Baltimores,	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

Hits—Louisville, 12; Baltimore, 4. Errors—Louisville, 1; Baltimore, 1.

Batteries—Stratton and Dews; Buffinton and Robinson.

Games Postponed.

At Cincinnati—Game called at end of second innings on account of rain.

At Cleveland—Game postponed on account of wet grounds.

Other Games.

At Philadelphia—Athletic, 6; Syracuse 0.

At New Haven—New Haven, 12; Buffalo, 5.

At Providence—Rochester, 5; Providence, 2.

Portland's First Game.

PORTLAND, May 3. The new Portland league team played their first game with Twitchell-Chaplin's team to-day, making a good appearance and winning, 14 to 2.

BOARDER ASPHYXIATED.

And Two Others Have Narrow Escapes.

LYNN, Mass., May 3. Joseph Sweeney, aged twenty-three years, employed by the Thomson Electric Welding Company, and residing in Charlestown, was asphyxiated this morning at a boarding house in West Lynn by escaping gas. Two boarders who occupied an adjoining room were found unconscious from the gas, but will recover.

A SUBSTITUTE

For the Fraternal Corporations Bill in Massachusetts House.

BOSTON, May 3. In the House this afternoon the Powers bill, which is friendly to the endowment orders, was substituted by a vote of 128 to 78, for the committee's bill relating to fraternal beneficial corporations.

TREFETHEN STARTLED.

Arguments in the Tena Davis Murder Case.

BOSTON, May 3. In the Tena Davis murder case to-day, arguments were made by ex-Governor Long for the defence, and Attorney-General Pillsbury for the State. The latter had not finished when court adjourned until to-morrow.

When the Attorney General had been speaking about an hour and commenced to deal with the testimony on the disappearance of Tena Davis, Trefethen gazed down, apparently unconscious of what was passing.

When the attorney general uttered the words "Tena Davis died," Trefethen opened his eyes with a start and for a few moments followed the argument. He then relapsed into an apparently comatose condition.

FOREIGN NEWS.

Publisher and Anarchist Editor Indicted.

LONDON, May 3. Mowbray, the publisher, and Nichols, the editor of the anarchist newspaper, the Commonwealth, have been indicted for printing articles exciting to the murder of Home Secretary Mathews and Sir Henry Hawkins, justice of the Queen's bench.

New Advertisements.

J. Waterman says you can afford to dress well if you buy your clothing at his store as he has a fine line of suits and overcoats at low prices. He has the latest styles and a large variety.

James H. Snow & Co. have received another lot of those fancy light salted rock cod.

Currier & Hook, Exchange street, have flags, tents and awnings.

They will cut Penobscot river salmon all this week at Newhall's market, Exchange street.

Miss Ellen Muzzey has removed her dressmaking rooms to 116 Essex street, where she may be found.

Stated assembly of Bangor Council, R. & S. M. this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

J. B. Ayer will sell at auction a new lot of art goods at A. F. Lee & Co.'s, 96 Hammond street, at 8 o'clock Saturday and Monday evenings next. See advertisement.

Charles W. Morse will have another auction sale of horses at the Windsor Hotel stables on Saturday of next week.

The annual meeting of the Penobscot Savings Bank will be held May 9th at 10 A. M. See notice.

Wholesale Produce Market.

Corrected semi-weekly by the Grocers' Association

WEDNESDAY, May 4.

STATE LAW REGARDING WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

A bushel of Liverpool salt shall weigh 56 pounds and a bushel of Turks Island salt shall weigh 70 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushel of potatoes, in good order and fit for shipping is 60 pounds.

The standard weight of a bushels of beans in good order and fit for shipping is 62 pounds. Of wheat, peas, rula bags flaxseed and peas, 60 pounds; of corn, 56 pounds; of onions, 52 pounds; of carrots, English turnips, rye, and Indian meal, 50 pounds; of barley and buckwheat, 48 pounds; of oats, 32 pounds, or even measure as by agreement.

Country Produce.

BEANS—	
Improved Yellow Eye, ⅌ bush	2.00
Pea, hand picked, ⅌ bush	2.50@2.75
BUTTER—	
Choice new roll, ⅌ ℔	20@21c
Fair to good	16@20c
CHEESE—	
Best Factory, ⅌ ℔ (new)	11@13c
Best Dairy, ⅌ ℔ (new)	12@15c
DRIED APPLES—	
Choice straug, ⅌ ℔	5@6c
Choice sliced	8@10c
EGGS—	
Fresh laid, ⅌ doz	13@14c
HAY—	
Best loose, ⅌ ton	16.50@17.00
Best bales	12.00@13.00
PEAS—	
Improved, ⅌ bush	2.25
Best Canada, whole	1.15@1.20
POTATOES—	
New ⅌ bush	60@65c
PORK—	
Round hog, ⅌ ℔	6½c
POULTRY—	
Chickens Spring, ⅌ ℔	15@17c
Fowls	15@16c
ONIONS—	
⅌ Barre	2.75@3.00

Retail Prices Current.

SALT—	
Bag or, ground, in boxes, ⅌ box	20c
English butter salt, in 14lb bags, ⅌ bag	25c
In 28lb bags	75c
Liverpool, ⅌ bush	35c
Turks Island	40c
HERRING—	
English, scaled, in boxes, ⅌ box	25c
RAISINS—	
Loose Muscatels, ⅌ ℔	8@9c
London layers	9@10c
Sultanas	12@20c
Valencias	10@12c
CHEESE—	
Best, ⅌ ℔	10@15c
KEROSENE OIL—	
150 test, ⅌ gallon	10@12c
Pratts	12c
VINEGAR—	
Pure cider, ⅌ gallon	25@30c
Pure W. W.	20c
FLOUR—	
Best Spring Hatchs, ⅌ barrel	4.25@4.50
Best St. Louis	3.75@4.00
Best family	5.50@5.75
CORN—	
Full weight	60c
CORN MEAL—	
⅌ ℔ and ⅌ bushel	60c
COTTON SEED MEAL—	
In lots of 100 lbs	1.40
⅌ ℔	40c
SHORTS—	
St. Louis brand, in lots	1.15
Minnesota	1.15
MOLASSES—	
Cuba, ⅌ hogshead	[illegible]
Cuba, ⅌ barrel	[illegible]
Cuba, ⅌ half barrel	[illegible]

Brooklyn, Wash. Co.

[illegible]

LOCAL MATTERS.

The morning train from St. John was forty minutes late yesterday owing to delay in connecting trains.

The regular meeting of the Board of Managers of the King's Daughters' Union will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the Home.

The Buckeport fleet of Grand Bankers is rapidly being fitted out and will soon sail for the banks, to remain until they get a full cargo, if possible.

The Ladies' Circle connected with the Essex street church meets Thursday afternoon with Mrs. F. O. Buzzell, 40 Jefferson street. A full attendance is desired.

The games of the New England League open to-day and big crowds are expected at the different ball grounds. Maine is represented by two teams, the Portlands and Lewistons.

Regular business meeting of the Crusade this afternoon at half past two. Prayer meeting to which all are invited at four. Help in the Crusade Parlors on Franklin street.

Dr. D. W. Maxfield and Maj. W. Z. Clayton left yesterday for Portland to attend the session of the Masonic grand bodies now in session there. Several more Bangor Masons will probably attend during the week.

Street Commissioner Woodbury returned yesterday from a short trip to Portland. He purchased in that city a pair of horses for the Street Department. They are Western animals, their combined weight is 2,000 pounds and the price paid was $550 delivered in this city.

The Fisher aquis drive of E. T. Spencer is getting along very well. The rear of the head drive started on Friday with about 4,000,000 in the drive and one boom of the rear drive is across the West Bog. On Saturday it was expected to get two more booms across the bog and the three would be united to the head drive.

Arbor Day, next Friday, will be appropriately observed at some of the public schools by exercises which are now being arranged. There will be planting of trees and a programme of musical and literary selections. The exercises will be interesting and the scholars are looking forward to them with pleasant anticipations.

The change this summer of time on the Maine Central will occur June 26th, and will give the public the most complete service ever yet given by this splendid railroad. The Maine Central will place train bulletins in all of the stations so that in the future it will be unnecessary to invade the telegraph office and ask where the trains are.

The "Lost Paradise" company which played such a sail factory engagement at the Opera House Monday and Tuesday nights, leaves this morning for Portland for a two nights' engagement. Like all of Manager Frohman's companies "The Lost Paradise" organization is a very competent one in every particular. The company is having a profitable tour of the New Eng and States.

The steamer Rockland, of the Boston & Bangor steamship line, arrived here from Rockland during the latter part of yesterday afternoon, and is to be painted and otherwise prepared for her summer's service between this city and Rockland which will begin at the usual time. She has been laying the winter running over the Mt. Desert's route, but that steamer has now resumed the service.

Another game in the Maine College League is scheduled for this afternoon at Brunswick between the Bates and Bowdoin teams and the college men of the three institutions whose teams are in the league will be on the qui vive. The same teams will play again Saturday at Lewiston. For next week the schedule of games is as follows: Wednesday, Colby vs. Bates, at Waterville, and Saturday, Bowdoin vs. Colby, at Brunswick.

The annual meeting of the Bangor Opera House Company was held yesterday at the Opera House and the usual routine business was transacted. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: T. U. Cole, president; I. H. Merrill, secretary and treasurer; F. A. Owen, manager; T. U. Cole, J. P. Bass, E. B. Nealley, I. H. Merrill, E. M. Hersey, J. T. Rines and F. A. Owen, directors. The stockholders' seats will be drawn at the Opera House this evening at 7.30 o'clock.

Hon. C. C. Libby, during his western trip, obtained an idea which he will carry into effect. It is the scheme of building a large refrigerator in connection with the factory at Winthrop. This refrigerator can be used by the farmers of the surrounding country to store butter, meats and any perishable goods. The expense of storage would be small and the whole scheme would tend to centralize the country trade at Winthrop, a town which has good shipping advantages to the best markets.

Fifty more men left last evening for the Adirondack Mountains, where they will work on the extension of the New York Central railroad. The original order given Mr. Kelley was for 500 men, but the number has been doubled and he is now doing his best to obtain them. As men cannot be secured fast enough here to fill the order some have to be taken from Boston, where Mr. Kelley has recently been to make arrangements for them. With such an order on hand all able bodied men who are not employed elsewhere can find work if they desire it.

The Opera House has been secured for Friday evening, June 24th, when the graduating exercises of the High School senior class will take place. It has been customary to have the exercises on the Monday evening following the Saturday on which the graduating exercises of the grammar schools occurred, but this year it was decided best to make the change. Waggett's Orchestra of ten pieces will furnish the music and the programme throughout will be one of much interest. The graduating parts will soon be assigned and they will be entrusted to those who will perform their duties very creditably.

Miss Sarah B. Barrows, one of the Maine missionaries in Burmah, writes an interesting account of an excursion she had been taking doing jungle work. She and Miss Lawrence another missionary, traveled by ox-cart taking with them everything needed on the way, from folding cots and chairs down to a salt and pepper box. Occasionally they found a chance to buy vegetables or milk. It was so warm in the middle of the day as to be unsafe to travel, so the journey was confined to the hours between four and nine or ten at night. Miss Barrows writes that she and her fellow laborer received much encouragement from the natives who came to them anxious to learn about the new religion.

The old St. John Episcopal church in Old Town, built in 1850 is now being demolished to give place to a new structure upon the same site. The church was consecrated Feb. 2 1853; the service has not been performed by Right Rev. George Thomas, Bishop of Maine. The new church edifice to take its place is to be large and beautiful, and while it cannot be ready for completed this year, will be in condition to be occupied for worship by the society towards the close of the year. Among the clergymen who have officiated in the old building as rectors of the parish, the best remembered are Rev. Charles Burborow, afterwards of Philadelphia, now deceased, and the Rev. John D. Spaulding, now bishop of California.

Dr. C. H. Bailey, State Veterinarian, was in the city last night at the Bangor House. This morning he goes to Lagrange to investigate a reported case of glanders.

The Third Party Prohibitionists open their campaign with a public meeting in City Hall to-night. The State convention will meet at the same place Thursday forenoon.

Mr. F. H. Owen has secured the services of Mr. George Gerry as jeweler at his establishment on Main street. He was formerly with Mr. A. Pfaff and takes the place of Mr. M. H. Gaynor, who has gone to his home in Ellsworth.

Bishop H. A. Neely of Portland, of the Maine Episcopal Diocese, will make an official visitation to St. John's Episcopal church on Sunday, May 15th, when he will administer the rite of confirmation to a class which will be formed.

Lieut. Hugo G. Menges, of the Hamlin Rifles, has been presented with a handsome sword and trappings by some of the members of the company. The sword is elegantly engraved and is a present which is greatly appreciated by the recipient.

The digest of all the special fish laws ever passed in this State, compiled by Col. E. C. Farrington and A. D. Russell, Esq., has been placed in the hands of the publishers and will soon be out. It is to be published by C. A. J. Farrar of the Jamaica Plains Publishing Company.

The annual rental of pews at Grace church took place last evening and there was a good attendance. After the business was finished those present adjourned to the vestry and parlors below where an informal reception to the pastor, Rev. H. E. Foss, was held. Refreshments were served and the occasion was much enjoyed by all.

The scow Ajax, the property of Captain P. H. Doyne, of Portland, is now under way of completion and will be ready for use in about two weeks. She was built at Kennebunkport and was towed to that city Friday by the tug Jessie for the finishing touches. She is 82 feet long and has a capacity of 86 tons. She is said to be the largest scow in Maine.

Lithographs of Bandmaster Gilmore and the singers who will participate in the festival with the band in this city, have appeared at the Opera House. The singers are the Misses Schneelock, Signor Victor Clodio, tenor, and Mr. Myron W. Whitney, bass. They will appear in solos and quartette selections and will furnish a very pleasing variety to the programme.

County Commissioners W. L. Scribner, B. F. Eldridge and W. I. Wood are holding a regular session at their room at the Court House, transacting regular business. On Wednesday, May 11th, they will go to Wytopitlock, where they will meet a representative of the Groton Bridge Company, to see what will be done about the bridge which was taken from its supports by the ice and logs a few weeks ago.

Dr. W. F. Shepard received a telegram yesterday morning containing the sad announcement of the death of his mother-in-law, Mrs. M. W. Arnold, widow of the late William Arnold, of this city, at Sharon, Mass. Mrs. Arnold had an attack of pneumonia last fall and had passed the winter in Florida. She returned about two weeks ago and was taken down with the illness which caused her death. She had been residing with her son, Mr. W. O. Arnold, and her daughter, Mrs. W. F. Shepard was with her at the time of her death. Many friends in this city and elsewhere will learn of her death with sorrow.

AMUSEMENTS.

The Lost Paradise.

The second and concluding performance of "The Lost Paradise" was given at the Opera House last night before a good sized audience which thoroughly enjoyed the performance. The company again made a very favorable impression and nothing was lacking to make a complete presentation.

The Gilmore Festival Concerts.

A grand musical festival extending over two days and comprising two concerts each day will begin at the Bangor Opera House on Tuesday, May 17. For this occasion Gilmore's famous band has been specially engaged, consisting of fifty of the best instrumental performers in the musical professions. A quartette of eminent vocal artists will assist at each concert, and altogether it will be one of the musical events of importance in the history of Bangor. The reputation which Gilmore's band has earned will be faithfully maintained, and that is assurance of the programmes that will be presented. The band is not a hastily procured organization, but one that has performed in every large city in the United States, and the members of which have been with Mr. Gilmore for fourteen years and longer, it is promised.

The soloists will be Myron W. Whitney, the great American basso; the Misses Emilie and Emma Schneelock, soprano and contralto, and Mons. Victor Clodio, tenor. The instrumental soloists will also figure prominently in the selections.

The Wheelmen's Meet.

A number of the wheelmen about the city met at F. C. Weston's office last evening to devise means for the entertainment of the visiting wheelmen, the Maine division of the L. A. W. holding their annual meet here. THE WHIG regrets to say that the meet will occur here on Memorial Day, a day that should be regarded as sacred, when thousands are mourning for the departed heroes.

All the wheelmen in the city are requested to meet on Thursday evening at 7 o'clock at the corner of Broadway and Somerset street, where important matters will be discussed and the wheelmen be formed into a company and drilled in some evolutions.

It is proposed to form a temporary club, the better to carry out the ideas of the meet. The contemplated programme for the meet includes a short parade of the city, a run to Pushaw, where dinner will be served, and a banquet at one of the Bangor hotels at 5.30 P. M. Bangor wheelmen will probably purchase a banner and colors for the parade. A large number of wheelmen will come here from other places in the State.

Castine News.

Our correspondent writes: Mr. B. F. Perkins and wife went to Portland Thursday, taking with them their daughter Florence who has been lame for some time, for treatment. They returned Saturday.

J. P. Shepherd returned Saturday from Bangor where he has been for ten days on a visit.

Rev. O. H. Fernald returned Monday. The people of Castine might to know that he is to be with them another year.

A. M. Devereux arrived Saturday. His father, S. H. Devereux, is quite sick.

Mrs. W. A. Keener arrived from New York Wednesday to see about their summer residence.

The topiograms by Devereux's new artist wood were unveiled Saturday afternoon in front of the Custom House before a large crowd. Speeches were made by Dr. Geo. A. Wheeler, Rev. J. F. Dunbar, O. H. Fernald and others. They add much to the looks of the building.

Augustus Perkins is making improvements on the well outside of his house.

Capt. J. M. Gardner of Boston has purchased for building purposes the lot on Perkins street, formerly owned by Mr. Stearns, of Bangor.

Grand Master Frank [illegible] of Maine and Grand Master Wardwell of New York are in town.

MORE SUBSCRIPTIONS

To the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad Preferred Stock.

Boston Firms Show Their Confidence in the Road.

THE WHIG published yesterday the correspondence from a gentleman who subscribes $500 to the preferred stock of the Bangor & Aroostook Railroad Company and is glad to publish this morning letters which contain handsome subscriptions obtained through the efforts of Mr. J. F. Crowley, a well known business man of this city. The letters speak for themselves and are as follows:

BOSTON, Mass., May 2, 1892.

Mr. John F. Crowley:

Dear Sir:—As to the Aroostook Railroad, we endorse all you say and thank you for bringing the matter so fully to our notice.

Most certainly we will add our mite as showing our sympathy with Aroostook, which should have long ago had a direct outlet, and to help Bangor, which we suppose will be the natural basis for supplies during construction. Better take one thousand.

We have not seen the other firms referred to, but are inclined to think they will aid to some extent.

Is there any doubt about active work upon the opening of spring? We hope not.

Yours truly,
GEORGE N. TALBOT,
President Standard Clothing Co.

BOSTON, April 10.

J. F. Crowley, Esq., Standard Clothing Co., Bangor.

Dear Sir:—Your valued favor of 6th instant at hand. As you know, we are a young firm, and have need for every dollar of our money in our business. But we appreciate the enterprise you put before us so ably will be a great help to the business of Bangor, and greatly develop Aroostook county, and we like to help along any good work like this when we can in our modest way. We shall be glad to subscribe $300, which we hope will be a little help in the undertaking, which we trust and expect will be a great success. With our best wishes we remain,

Yours faithfully,
FOWLE, COBB & PEARSON.

Lumber Shipment.

More cargoes of lumber have been shipped this spring from this port to different places along Penobscot Bay than have gone beyond, a circumstance which probably never happened before. While the cargoes have not been large there has been quite a number of them for this time of the year and the fact indicates that there will be a considerable amount of building along the bay this year especially at the summer resorts. Only a few of the mills have started as yet on account of the scarcity of logs and all will not be in operation immediately, but the arrival of a supply of logs will set the saws humming.

Clark-Pinkham.

Our correspondent writes: A very pleasant event was the marriage of Mr. J. Fred Clark of Lincoln, to Miss Bertha Pinkham, daughter of Wm. B. Pinkham, Esq., at his residence in Lincoln village, on the evening of Monday, the 2d instant. The ceremony was happily performed by the Rev. Mr. Falesland, in the presence of the relatives of the married couple. The bride had been the recipient of many and costly presents.

Mr. Palmer Woodward, of Medway, Mass., acted as best man, and Miss Allie Pinkham as maid of honor.

After showers of good wishes to the bride and congratulations to the groom, a wedding dinner was served, when the bridal party attended a brilliant reception ball given by the groom on the occasion of the marriage.

Mr. and Mrs. Clark left on the early morning train for an extended tour through the Middle States.

Our Own Folks and Other Folks.

Mr. E. P. Grimes, of Caribou, is in the city.

Mr. G. L. Knight, of Rockland, is in the city.

Mr. N. W. Harris, of Auburn, is in the city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Clark of Lincoln, are in the city.

Mr. G. F. Ayers, of Rockland, is in the city on business.

Mr. J. Fred Webster is in Boston on a short business trip.

Mr. H. W. Denham, of Portland, is in the city on business.

Mr. Isaac R. Clark went to Gardiner yesterday on business.

F. H. Clergue, Esq., left yesterday for a business trip to New York.

Rev. G. W. Field, D. D., and wife are in Boston at the Parker House.

Gen. H. L. Mitchell left yesterday on the afternoon train for Boston.

Mr. E. A. Jack, of Fredericton, N. B., is in the city at the Bangor House.

Mr. R. M. Goodwin and Mr. B. M. Judkins, of Newport, are in the city.

Miss Ernestine Thompson has returned from a several weeks' visit in Boston.

Mr. A. W. Scott, landlord of the Riverside House, Mattawamkeag, is in the city.

Miss Maud Clayton leaves to-day for Washington, D. C., where she will remain during the summer.

Capt. H. C. Coombs, of Greenville, who has been in the city on business, returned yesterday morning.

Mr. Frederick K. Brown arrived home from Boston on the steamer Lewiston yesterday for a visit.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Prescott and Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Lunt leave to-day for Boston for a ten days' visit.

Mr. C. H. Vose, of Forest City, is in town. He leaves on this morning's train for Boston on a business trip.

Miss Faustena Gerrish has arrived at her home in Milford after a sojourn of nearly two years in the West.

Mr. C. P. Tenney, Mr. H. J. Hathaway and Mr. James Archibald, of Houlton, are in the city at the Penobscot Exchange.

Mrs. G. B. Ilsley has gone to Newport, R. I., to attend the annual meeting of the Woman's Baptist Home Mission Society.

Gen. J. S. Smith leaves this morning for Boston, New York City and western New York, on business. He will be absent about two weeks.

Conductor Pettingill, of the Pullman service between Bangor and Boston, has resumed duty after a few days' absence on account of illness in his family.

Mr. Charles H. Pierce, assistant secretary, and Mr. W. L. Wilcox, general agent, of the American Fire Insurance Company of New York, are in the city on a short visit.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Warren Hathaway, of Norridgewock, who have been in the city at the Bangor House for some time, left yesterday on their return to Norridgewock.

Miss Fisher, of Oil City, Pa., who has been the guest Mrs. Harry D. Stewart and Mrs. Roland W. Stewart during the winter and spring, leaves to-day on her return home.

Mr. C. F. Furness, manager of the Maine Central official time table, who has been at his home in Exeter and in this city on business, left yesterday for a trip to Portland and Boston.

The two oldest living graduates of Bowdoin College are Rev. Thomas Treadwell Jones, D. D., at the close of 1836, now ninety-one years of age, and Charles E. Barrett, Esq., of Portland, of the class of 1838, now eighty-eight years of age.

THE BOARD OF TRADE.

Maine at the World's Fair Discussed.

**The Woolen